



PATENT APPLICATION Mo-5035 LeA 32,194 #7/B 8/12/99 C.Stefes

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)) GROUP NO.: 1611)
ULRICH FELDHUES ET AL		
SERIAL NUMBER: 09/022,337) EXAMINER: A. RAZGUNAS
FILED:	FEBRUARY 11, 1998))
TITLE:	PROCESS FOR THE PREPARA- TION OF SUBSTITUTED 4,4'- DIAMINOSTILBENE-2,2'-DISUL- PHONIC ACIDS))))

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 3, 1999, Applicants respectfully request that the application be reexamined and reconsidered in view of the following amendments and remarks. A separate Petition for Extension of Time is being filed simultaneously herewith.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel Claims 1-12 and add Claims 13-22.

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